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Case Dismissed Against LASD Deputy After Jury Deadlocks

Following a week-long trial – which included video evidence – and two days of deliberation, jurors announced in August that they were unable to reach a unanimous decision in the case of a Los Angeles County sheriff's deputy accused of perjury and filing a false police report.

The trial of Gregory Rodriguez, 36, ended with eight of 12 jurors voting not guilty. Late yesterday, prosecutors with the Justice System Integrity Division announced they would be unable to proceed in case BA436858.

The trial that began on July 29 included witness testimony and video evidence, which prosecutors argued, proved the defendant lied when he said a man attempted to free suspects who were in police custody.

On Aug. 8, jurors announced they were deadlocked in spite of the video evidence.

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